

1935, ch. 59, sec. 285W.

**285W.** No person shall be prosecuted for a violation of any provision of this sub-title if such person has been acquitted or convicted under the Federal narcotic laws of the same act or commission, which, it is alleged, constitutes a violation of this sub-title.

1935, ch. 59, sec. 285X.

**285X.** If any provision of this sub-title or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the sub-title which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this sub-title are declared to be severable.

1935, ch. 59, sec. 285Y.

**285Y.** This sub-title shall be so interpreted and construed as to effectuate its general purpose and to make uniform the laws of those States which enact it.

1935, ch. 59, sec. 285Z.

**285Z.** This sub-title may be cited as the uniform narcotic drug act.<sup>1</sup>

### **Health—Caustic Acids.**

1929, ch. 183.

**291A.** The term dangerous caustic or corrosive substance means each and all of the acids, alkalies, and substances named below: Hypochlorous acid, either free or combined, and any preparation containing the same in a concentration so as to yield ten per centum or more by weight of available chlorine, excluding calx chlorinata, bleaching powder, and chloride of lime; Potassium hydroxide and any preparation containing free or chemically unneutralized potassium hydroxide, including caustic potash and Vienna paste, in a concentration of ten per centum or more; Sodium hydroxide and any preparation containing free or chemically unneutralized sodium hydroxide, including caustic soda and lye, in a concentration of ten per centum or more; and Ammonia water and any preparation yielding free or chemically uncombined ammonia, including ammonium hydroxide and "hartshorn," in a concentration of five per centum or more.

The term misbranded parcel, package, or container means a retail parcel, package, or container of any dangerous caustic or corrosive substance for household use, not bearing a conspicuous, easily legible label or sticker, containing (a) the common name of the substance, (b) the name and place of business of the manufacture,<sup>2</sup> packer, seller, or distributor; (c) the word "POISON," running parallel with the main body of reading matter on said label or sticker, on a clear, plain background of a distinctly contrasting

<sup>1</sup> Sec. 2, ch. 59, acts of 1935, repealed all laws inconsistent therewith.

<sup>2</sup> Evidently a typographical error.